## **PATENT**

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## **RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 30, 2007, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

A Listing of the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.